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LITTLE ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mr. and Mrs. Nash and family were visitors in Calgary over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Torrance and Mrs. Fairbairn motored to Calgary on Tuesday.

Changes in telephone subscribers are: W. Hay, 208; Jas. Stout, 53; McCulloch's Garage 52; A. Reid residence, 15.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Bitz on Sunday, April 10, a son.

School started on Monday after ten days of Easter holidays.

All players who have not paid their golf fees are requested to do so as soon as possible so that the committee will know just how much of an expenditure can be made and improve the course accordingly.

Rev. W. T. McIntock, who is in the employ of the United Church will hold a ten day series of services in the Carbon United Church commencing Sunday, May 1. He will be assisted by Mr. Nichol, soloist.

Mrs. Birch returned last Friday after spending a few days in Calgary.

Wm. Olive has moved into the house formerly occupied by Mrs. T. R. Olive.

Mrs. J. McKelvey spent a few days in Calgary last week. She returned Saturday.

H. Holmes has been transferred to the Drumheller branch of the Bank of Montreal and leaves shortly to take up his duties there. The vacancy here will be filled by Mel. Roberts of Acme.

Miss Gordon, who is teaching at Staveley, returned Thursday after spending the Easter holiday with her parents here.

The last of a series of dances being put on in aid of the Carbon Park will be held in the Farmers' Exchange Hall Thursday night, (tonight).

Mrs. T. R. Olive is visiting at the home of R. B. Cox for a few days, prior to her leaving to spend the summer at her home in Winnipeg.

Mrs. A. F. McKibbin returned last Friday after spending a week in Champion.

CARBON C.G.I.T. STAR GROUP

At the recent Annual Meeting of the Calgary Presbyterial of the Women's Missionary Society, it was reported that the Carbon United Church C.G.I.T. was the star group for the Presbyterial for the past year, having contributed \$10 in cash to the W.M.S. and sent an infant's layette and dressed dolls to the workers among the New Canadians at Ethelbert and Pine River, Man.

Swalwell

Wm. White has purchased the Paul Cyr quarter.

Three new pupils are in attendance at School. Elma White, Geo. White and Georgie Congo.

Wm. Anderson, who is in the bank at Three Hills, spent the Easter week end at his home.

We understand Mt. Vernon S. D. is preparing to build a teacherage.

An evangelist and a singer, who are sent out by Dr. Ferguson, will be at Gamble next Sunday.

Miss Munro returned last Friday after spending the Easter week at her home in Red Deer.

Mrs. Spiff of Calgary is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. C. Shorland.

TENDERS WANTED

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned for the drilling of a well at the new site of the Gamble School House, on the S. E. Corner of Sec. 10, T. 30, R. 23, w4. Tenders to be in the hands of the Secretary not later than May 18, 1927. The lowest of any tender not necessarily accepted.

L. B. HART,
2tc Secretary.

Mrs. Purdy and daughter, Thelma, returned Monday after spending a week visiting with Mrs. Purdy's sister in Calgary.

—Dr. J. E. Hesson, who has visited Carbon professionally for the past four years, wishes to announce that he has purchased the Dental practice and good will of the late Dr. A. E. Hennigar, and that he has moved from 1001 to 1011 Herald building, Calgary.

CHESS PLAYERS TO GO TO CALGARY

The match between the Carbon Chess Club and the Calgary Chess Club, which was arranged for the 21st inst., was postponed owing to the storm which made it practically impossible to motor into Calgary from here. It is expected that the match will be held in Calgary some time in May, probably the 23rd. The Calgary chess club are making arrangements to give the Carbon players a real good time for their visit, and this event is causing a good deal of interest in Calgary, as it is unusual for a village club to arrange a chess match with the City Chess Club.

SAYINGS OF PROMINENT MEN

Hardware: "Damn it."
First Base: "Two more, please."
Joe: "Don't mind if I do."
Country Telephone Subscriber: "Time, please."
Imperial: "Played all your games?"
Contractor: "Whatsoever if."
Manager: "Have I had your statement?"
Willie: "Ten dollars and costs."
U.F.A.: "Isn't it wonderful?"
Financier: "Heard anything of him yet?"
Implements: "Speak up, me battery's no' workin'."
Hotel lobby: "Say listen now."
The Night Operator: "There's that yellow beggar."

TENDERS WANTED

SEALED TENDERS for the construction of a teacherage for the Mount Vernon School District, No. 3579, N.W. 1/4 of Sec. 1, 31, 23, w4, to be built on skids, will be received by the Chairman of the Board, Mr. F. Price, Route 2, Three Hills, or by the Secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Jane Anderson, Carbon, not later than Monday, May 9, 1927.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Crown Lumber Yard, Carbon, Crown Lumber Yard Office, Swalwell, or at the office of Mr. J. McFee, Three Hills.

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Celebrating Canada's Jubilee

The celebration of the sixtieth anniversary of Confederation should be well and fittingly observed by all citizens throughout the length and breadth of the Dominion, and no community however small should fail to take advantage of this historic date to review the progress of the country and to strengthen in the minds of all, especially the young, a determination to render worthwhile service to Canada and make it a still better land in which to live and a real power for good among the nations of the world.

A strong national committee has been created by Parliament to give direction to this celebration in its large national aspects, and Provincial Committees are in process of formation in each of the nine provinces. The chief national ceremonies will, of course, be held at Ottawa, the Federal capital, and it is proposed that in each of the provinces striking ceremonies should be held at the provincial capital cities. But every city, town, village and hamlet should likewise organize to commemorate the event.

While in the observance of this diamond jubilee, sports, concerts, fireworks, and other forms of recreation and pleasure will and should find a place, it is to be hoped that something of a more lasting character will be done to inaugurate that will materially assist in the continued and greater development of Canada and advancing it along the path to true national greatness and strength.

The Dominion-wide oratory contest now in progress in the schools of the Dominion under the auspices of leading daily newspapers is a concrete example of what we have in mind. It is educational, inspirational, and cannot fail to induce a true pride in Canada and its achievements, and help to promote a fine and helpful national spirit. The study which participation in this contest imposes on thousands of students will have a lasting impression, while the training in public speaking that results will prove a real asset to the Dominion.

A suggestion has also been advanced that the national committee should create a national prize in literature to be awarded each year to the best Canadian literary production of the year. Such award might fittingly be announced on each succeeding Dominion Day. A really worthwhile prize would undoubtedly have the effect of encouraging a higher standard in Canadian literature.

Cannot the idea which prompted this suggestion be extended to include each community throughout the Dominion? Most of our cities, towns and villages experience a lack of something of a public nature which could easily be provided at comparatively small expense if the residents would unite their efforts in making provision for it. Some lack a community centre; in others the absence of a public library is a real loss to the people; some places have as yet failed to make adequate provision, possibly no provision at all, in the shape of parks or playgrounds; many have neglected to plant trees or create beauty spots to improve the appearance of the community in which they pass their lives.

What could be better to prove a more fitting observance of Canada's jubilee than the creation of a Confederation Park, a Jubilee Library, a Canada Community Hall, or a Confederation Avenue of trees, or something of beauty or of public service along somewhat similar lines?

The above suggestions are merely intended to draw attention to the idea and to provoke consideration of it. Each community will be aware of its most pressing need, and of its ability to supply that need. Each community, no matter how small in numbers, can do something. All that is necessary is that some thought and consideration be given to the matter and one or two "live" leaders can quickly secure the cooperation of all, with the result that something really valuable and of lasting benefit will result in commemoration of the Diamond Jubilee of Confederation.

Gorgeous Car For Nigerian Chief

British Factory Turns Out Dazzling Vehicle for Emir of Kano

Rich native potentates who have luxurious tastes in automobiles. Invariably place their orders in England. A car that has just been completed for the Emir of Kano, one of the most powerful of the Nigerian chiefs, had according to instructions, to look like a bird of paradise, when travelling under the blue African sky. The use of black on any part of the car was forbidden on religious grounds. All difficulties were, how-

ever, overcome, and rarely has anything more gorgeous left a British factory than this dazzling vehicle. The chassis is a 6-cylinder with all parts brightly finished. The dashboard is of polished aluminium. The steering wheel and the door handles are blue. The springs are painted red and the fuse carrier on the dashboard is of ivory. The body is striped with red and gold lines. The hood is more like a sunshade and is a vivid green in color, and the interior is upholstered in blue leather. Even the engine, normally black, has been camouflaged with silver paint. In the dazzling sunshine of Africa the car travelling at high speed and it is understood the Emir of Kano delights in speed will certainly give some impression of a gay bird of many hues.

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Vitaglass Is Newest Idea

Does Not Exclude Ultra-Violet Rays Like Window Glass

Scientists have discovered at a date it is somewhat belated, that glass windows, from the standpoint of health, are one of the greatest evils from which humanity suffers. They do not act as a preventive to cold winds, draughts and damp, but they only give the illusion of light and warmth. The Medical Research Council corroborates the fact that when light passes through a window of ordinary glass it is entirely robbed of the beneficial ultra-violet rays. It gives a sensation of warmth, but, apart from this, it can have no effect on bodily efficiency and well-being.

The remedy exists, however, for both light and the ultra-violet rays are provided by vitaglass, the invention of a Birmingham scientist, Mr. E. E. Langbough. It has been installed in several hospitals in Great Britain and in the Southwick Borough Council Schools. The installation, it is claimed, has had remarkable results on the health of the pupils.

The Morning Post says that vitaglass possesses the property of transparency to the creative ultra-violet rays of natural light. We quote:

"Up till quite recently it had been found that quartz or fused silica were the only known substances that possessed this property of transparency, and their high cost had rendered the possibility of their application to windows quite prohibitive. The cost of vitaglass is, however, very little more than ordinary window glass, and so the question of its installation in factories and industrial centres becomes of considerable interest."

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You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Chinese Women Progressive

Are Becoming a Factor in Readjustment of Their Country

The women of China will be a factor in the readjustment in that country, according to Mrs. Grace Thompson Seton who spoke before the Women's Press Club in New York. Describing the achievements of modern Chinese women, Mrs. Seton said one woman author had published 300 books. Another who conducts a school, she said, had adopted 100 children and is educating them. From a state of complete subjection to men women are fast emerging, she said, and banks for women are being established.

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Proposed New Paper Mill

New York, Montreal and Chicago lumbermen are reported to be combined in the plan to construct a 600-ton paper mill at Whitehead Falls, Manitoba, for which application has been made to the Federal Government. Timber limits involving 11,500 cords of pulpwood are being sought.

Telephone System Pays

Alberta Government Phone System Shows Operating Profit

The Alberta Government telephone system showed a profit of \$270,000 in operation in the year 1926, according to the annual report of the Department. There was an increase of revenue over 1925 of more than \$154,000. There are now 20,113 rural subscribers and 58,517 subscribers on the urban system, making a total of 58,930 subscribers for the entire system, an increase of about 500 over the previous year.

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A Real Cinderella

The story of Cinderella has been traced by an historian to the account of a young lady named Rhodopis whose sandal was carried by the wind, while she was bathing in the Nile, to the feet of the Egyptian king who offered a reward for the owner. When Rhodopis claimed her sandal the king married her.

The case with which corns and warts can be removed by Holiway's Corn Remover is its strongest recommendation. It seldom fails.

Manufacturing industrial development is in its infancy in Bolivia, which is almost solely a producer of minerals. A disadvantage is the almost complete absence of fuel in the country.



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Factors Which Have Tended To Direct Greater Attention To Wheat Growing In Canada

Certain factors have tended recently to direct greater attention to wheat growing in Canada, that phase of the Dominion's agriculture upon which the great and elaborate industry is founded, yet which has been in some danger of being pushed into the background with the rapid development of other branches of agriculture. Wheat is the great fundamental crop of Canadian farming and, in expert, far-sighted opinion, is likely to remain so. In 1926 Canada had 22,768,449 acres devoted to wheat, estimated to have returned 17.8 bushels to the acre, or a total of 405,938,000 bushels. Canada's acreage in wheat was exceeded only by that of the United States and British India, while the Dominion yield is second only to that of the United States. It is further estimated that the Canadian wheat crop in 1926 returned \$442,673,000 to its producers, as compared with \$459,149,200 in 1925, and \$320,362,000 in 1924. Taking the figures of the last Canadian census approximately \$650 was distributed to every farm in Canada from the wheat crop alone in 1926.

Certain events have recently combined to considerably widen the future possibilities of wheat growing in Canada, broad as these already were. The wheat belt in Western Canada was definitely and beyond question placed much farther north in 1926 when the wheat adjudged to be the best on the North American continent in that year came from the Peace River Country of Northern Alberta, eight hundred miles north of the international border. One would long hesitate now to put northern limits to the wheat belt in Canada, especially in view of the elastic possibilities of Garnet wheat and other rapid maturing wheats which may yet be developed.

According to all reports, Garnet wheat fully justified the great expectations deposited in it. The Canadian Minister of Agriculture states that reports from scores of farmers are unanimous on the one vital claim that it ripens ten days earlier than Marquis. The yields also have been highly satisfactory and some extraordinary ones reported. A settler north of Prince Albert struggling along with twelve acres of land available for wheat sowed Garnet seed, harvested 64 bushels to the acre, marketing his crop for about \$2,000.

Along the northern edge of the agricultural belt in the three Prairie Provinces, where the frost menace is so great as to make wheat growing very uncertain, Garnet wheat has come through splendidly, according to the Canadian Minister. While other varieties of grain were nipped and rendered unsaleable except for chicken feed, Garnet was a good marketable product. The Minister declared there could no longer be a doubt as to the benefit of Garnet. It has rolled back the northern boundary of agriculture in Canada from 100 to 150 miles, bringing all the meadow and lake country from Port Nelson and Fort Churchill to the Rocky Mountains within the dominion of the plough.

A great deal of interest centred upon the visit to Canada recently of Sir Herbert Matthews, secretary of the Central Chamber of British Agriculture, and his views on Canadian agricultural prospects were eagerly sought. They were summed in the expression that Canada had to be the source of supply for wheat for the Old Country for some time to come. He could see very little prospect of Russian wheat being again largely consumed in the United Kingdom as it was before the war, for many years to come, a fear which has been somewhat of a bogey to Western Canadian wheat producers. Under such circumstances, and with the uncertainties of supplies from India, where crops sometimes fail, together with the fact that people in such countries as India, China and Japan are more and more going over to wheat products, Canada is likely to be more and more looked to as Britain's chief source of supply of wheat.

London's death toll of street accidents is lower than that of New York City, although London has the larger population by 1,000,000.

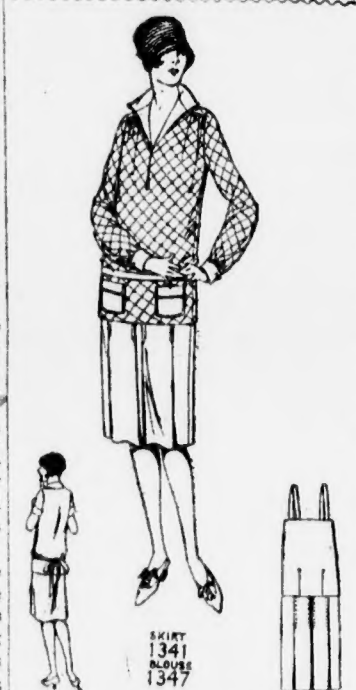
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Predicts Better Prices For Wool

Production is Increasing and Values Are About to Improve

Although wool production is increasing in almost every country, and particularly on this continent, in Europe and Australia, leading experts in the United States look for an improved market this year. According to Mr. Albert H. Elliott, vice-president of the Boston Wool Trade Association—and Boston is the second wool trade centre of the world—it would appear that the cycle of low prices has been completed and values are about to improve.

He points out that the immense stocks which accumulated some time ago have been used, and that there is a far healthier tone in the great consuming markets of Britain and Continental Europe. "The evidence is that the wool using population of the world," he concludes, "is growing a little faster than any possible increase that can come in wool production."



The Two-piece Frock is more Important Than Ever

This season the two-piece frock rules over a wider domain than ever, and on many days the hours of its reign extend from morning to evening. Therefore, it must be practical, yet combine as well, a semi-formal charm for leisurely events. The model pictured here is a typical example of a sports costume that is smartly correct for either a morning of shopping, or an afternoon of bridge. The blouse slips on over the head and has a collar that may be worn buttoned high or turned back as illustrated. The front of the blouse has gathers at each shoulder and two patch pockets for adornment, the back being quite plain. The long set-in sleeves are gathered into tailored cuffs fastening with links. The string belt is a new detail and provides a soft bloused effect at the hip-line. Fullness in the skirt is attained by two box-plaits in the front. The blouse No. 1347, is in sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust. Size 36 requires 2 1/2 yards 36-inch figured material; 1/2 yard plain. The skirt, No. 1341, is joined to a body lining, and is in sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust. Size 36 requires 1 1/2 yards 36-inch material; body lining 1 yard. Price 20 cents each pattern.

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Cattle Market Improves

The Outlook For the Canadian Cattle and Meat Trade

The Canadian cattle and meat trade in 1926, although lacking the stimulating effect of steadily rising prices, had one of its best years since 1900. The rank and file of cattle showed even better prices than in 1925 and at the same time were greater in volume, but export quality and weights of cattle did not receive the same recognition as did the ordinary run, chiefly on account of extraordinary conditions in Great Britain, our chief outlet for fat cattle. According to the annual Live Stock Market and Meat Trade Review, 1926, issued by the Dominion Department of Agriculture, a broad domestic demand accounted for the generally good average prices paid on all public stock yards in the Dominion. The market, however, lacked the keen demand for the heavier weights of cattle that existed in 1925. The export classes of cattle sold on a declining market on account of several depressive factors which affected the situation in Britain. These were the miners' strike and a price-cutting war between the frozen and chilled meat companies in Argentina.

However, as is pointed out in the Review, the adverse conditions affecting the British market have mostly passed, and prospects for a better trade with Britain in 1927 are good. The situation as regards the United States market also offers much encouragement. Early in the New Year there was strong evidence of improvement in the domestic market with re-establishment of the better grades of steers at very fair prices.

Money In Rabbit Pelts

Snowshoe Rabbit of Western Canada Provides New Source of Revenue for Settlers

Owing to the discovery of a new process for tanning rabbit skins, the despised snowshoe rabbit of Western Canada is developing into a new source of revenue for settlers in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Especially has this been true of the northern sections or park and wooded area. A reliable estimate made of the 1926-7 winter catch places this in the neighborhood of 2,000,000 pelts with a revenue of some \$200,000. Untanned skins are sent to New York and London to be used in a variety of ways, and food farmers are heavy buyers of rabbit carcasses.

Promising Gas Field

The Edmonton Gas Co. will drill two more wells in the Viking field this year. This field is about seven and a half miles long and two miles wide, and gas is encountered on the average of 2,150 feet.

Mistress—"I suppose you know what finger bowls look like, Katie?"

New Maid—"Yes, ma'am; I've often seen manicure girls use 'em in the barber shops."



Brains and Beauty Meet

Captain E. Griffiths, commander of Canadian Pacific steamship Empress of France, now on tour of the Mediterranean, has one of the most distinguished groups of passengers the ship has carried on its numerous trips. He is seen in the above picture between two ladies who well bear out the heading, while with him are associated in the picture Mr. William McMaster, father of a director of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and Hon. Narcisse Perreault, lieutenant-governor of the Province of Quebec. The ladies—to come to the best last—are Miss Yvette McKenna and Mrs. Frank McKenna, the latter, daughter of Mr. Perreault. The photograph was taken as the ship was nearing Algiers.

Father Of Aviation Discovered In Sir George Cayley, Who Had The Idea A Hundred Years Ago

Foreigners In Great Britain

Number is Very Small in Proportion to Population

Talking of foreigners in connection with our immigration problem reminds us that every country has its foreigners, even China, and in every country the foreigner "danger" is over-emphasized. Overseas Monthly for March says that "to judge by the outpourings of some of the popular press, one would imagine that the hearth and home of every true Briton was challenged by the influx of great hordes of foreigners. The truth of the matter is, as anyone who has studied the figures knows, that the foreign population of Great Britain is negligible. To be exact, there are only 269,650 aliens in the United Kingdom."

Few countries can have such a small foreign population in proportion to the total number of inhabitants. Two great changes have taken place in the constitution of Britain's foreign population, as Mr. F. A. Mackenzie points out in an article in 'The Landmark', the organ of the English-speaking Union: The number of Germans has declined, and there has been a great increase in the number of Americans. Here are the latest figures of the aliens permanently residing in Great Britain: American, 20,620; Austrian, 6,574; Belgian, 10,879; Dutch, 8,605; French, 21,589; German, 19,289; Italian, 29,633; Polish, 6,691; Russian, 87,721; Scandinavian, 13,443; Swiss, 12,437; others, 29,114.

Publicity Campaign

Edmonton Board of Trade Doing Good Work in Attracting Settlers

Since the Edmonton Board of Trade started its two-year publicity campaign over 1,200 letters and 1,200 completed questionnaires have been received from farmers in the mid-western United States, and in addition some 200 persons have called at the Board's office on the occasion of their inspection of the district, and the greater portion of these have settled on land in the central portion of the province.

Okanagan Tobacco Growers

Under the name of the Okanagan Tobacco Growers' Association, those who are undertaking the raising of tobacco in the Kelowna district have organized for mutual protection and will invite growers in other sections of the Okanagan and neighboring valleys to form "locals" and affiliate with them.

Oftentimes, it's the mink in the closet that is responsible for the wolf at the door.

Most people would be inclined to regard Colonel S. F. Cody, whose experiment with man-lifting kites first attracted general attention to flying, as the Father of Aviation in Great Britain. This distinction, however, really belongs to Sir George Cayley, whose ancestor was awarded a baronetcy in 1661, and whose family seat is Brompton Hall, near Northallerton. It is announced that his notebook and papers have been discovered and will shortly be published. Monsieur Charles Dollfus, the authority on the history of flying, has said of him that he was "The greatest man aviation has known." He had for his time—he was born in 1773 and died in 1857—a curiously wide outlook on the subject of flying, which he made his life's hobby. As early as 1816 he wrote that the airship offered "a direct, swift, and easy passage from any one point to every other on the face of the globe," describing the air as "An uninterrupted navigable ocean, that comes to the threshold of every man's door, and ought not to be neglected as a source of human gratification and advantage."

He went further than this, however, and even foretold that the airship and the aeroplane were destined to play in the air transport of the future, each complementary to the other. "Blimped balloons (airships) of large dimensions," he wrote, "thus offer greater facilities for transporting men and goods through the air than mechanical means (aeroplanes) alone," and in 1843 made his views even clearer by writing: "Mechanical flight (the aeroplane) seems more adapted for use on a much smaller scale, and for less remote distances; serving, perhaps, the same purpose that a boat does to a ship, each being essential to the other." No more clear anticipation of the Air Ministry's present policy of running long non-stop "trunk" airship services with "feeder lines" operated by aeroplanes could possibly be imagined.

Cayley did not rest contented with writing articles, but put his theories to practical test. He built many models and several full-sized gliders which were tested from the high ground behind Brompton Hall. One of these gliders at least succeeded in making a "flight" right across the valley and landing on the opposite hillside 300 yards away. Cayley started experimenting with a toy helicopter in 1796, and continued trying his gliders until a year or two from the day of his death at the age of 81.

Claims Kingship Over Canadian Indians

Title Sought by Someone Writing From Chicago to Canadian Legation

On pale blue letterhead inscribed "Vive le Roi," a protest has been written by somebody in Chicago to the British Government claiming recognition for a certain Prince, G. C. C. and Grand Regent, as King of a well known tribe of Indians.

The Canadian government has refused to recognize his kingship of the tribe, says the applicant and asks to whom he can turn. The letter which has reached the Canadian legation at Washington, asks for a translation into the language of the tribe mentioned, a dozen exalted titles ranging from king to sub-woman chief.

The names of five princes and one duke who claim the title of bishop as well, are given. The letter probably will be referred to the Indian Department at Ottawa.

Canning Factory for Edmonton

The Broder Canning Co., New Westminster, is looking for a site in Edmonton for the purpose of establishing a canning factory which will be the first of its kind in Alberta. It is a development following the expansion of the vegetable growing industry of this province. Formerly Alberta imported all her vegetables in canned or raw form; today she is growing more than 60 per cent of the ordinary vegetables she consumes.

Employer—"But you told us you were single, Miss Zippers when we hired you."

Sweet Stenog—"Ah, but that was almost a week ago!"

CHINESE TROOPS AT PEKING STAGE RAID ON SOVIETS

Peking. A raid by Northern soldiers and Chinese police on buildings attached to the Soviet embassy here and the detention at a hotel of two United States journalists, one a woman, who are known to have incurred the displeasure of the Northern command by contributing to hostile publications, today introduced new international aspects to the Chinese civil war imbroglio.

Both the raid, which resulted in the removal of 22 Russians and about 50 Chinese, described as agitators, from the embassy compound, and the detention of the Americans, were conducted by representatives of Marshal Chang Tso-Lin, the Manchurian war lord, who is commander of the Northern forces defending Peking.

While the raid was in progress fire broke out in the building formerly occupied by the Russian legation guard. A report was circulated, although its truth could not be confirmed, that the fire was started for the purpose of preventing records from falling into the hands of the Northerners. Two fire brigades rushed to the building and extinguished the flames in a short time, although not before some ammunition in the structure exploded, wounding one Russian dangerously.

Numerous bundles of red flags, seven carloads of propaganda leaflets, a machine gun, a trench mortar, bombs, about a score of rifles, thousands of Kuomintang (the Chinese political party) flags and a quantity of ammunition were stated to have been taken from the raided buildings.

Marshal Chang Tso-Lin notified Northern commanders of the raid.

"The main danger to the preservation of peace in Peking is now removed," the marshal's message was quoted as saying. "Those arrested will be tried and dealt with according to their deserts. It must be pointed out that these rebellious mischief makers who are responsible for the dissemination of Bolshevism and the havoc wrought upon the people and the nations are unpardonable."

Stresses Will For Peace

Paramount Necessity to Prevent War Says French Foreign Minister

Paris. More important than technical disarmament is the will for peace, declared M. Briand, foreign minister, in a message sent to the United States on the occasion of the tenth anniversary of the entry of the United States into the world war.

M. Briand's message, sent on the heels of France's refusal to participate in the three-power naval disarmament conference at Geneva, insisted that the paramount necessity in preventing war is the cultivation in the civilized world of a spirit of peace interpreted through a "policy of peace" on the part of all nations.

"If there were need of it between the two great democracies in order to give high testimony of their desire for peace, and to furnish a solid example to other peoples France would be willing to enter into an agreement with America mutually outlawing war, to use your way of expressing it."

Present Claim to Government

Question of Land Title of B.C. Indians Before Committee

Ottawa. Counsel for the Allied Tribes of British Columbia continued presentation of the claims of the tribes to the aboriginal title to lands in British Columbia before the joint committee of the House of Commons and the Senate.

Quotations were presented from ancient treaties and more modern court judgments in support of the contention that the relation of the Canadian government to the tribes was one of trusteeship as opposed to guardianship.

Only one pension is now being paid by the British Government. This is the annual sum of \$25,000 to the holder of the Nelson cardigan.

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New Plane For De Pinedo

Italian Aviator Will Resume Flight in Sister Ship From Italy

Apache Lodge, Roosevelt Dam, Ariz. — Commander Francesco de Pinedo intends to resume his inter-continent flight just as quickly as he can arrange for a sister ship to be sent to the United States from his native Italy.

A thoughtless boy and a match caused the destruction of the big seaplane after the aviator had flown it across the Atlantic Ocean, risked his life soaring over the wilds of South America and brought it here against great odds in making hops by inland waters en route to the Pacific Coast.

The match was tossed on the oil-coated surface of the lake about the plane after the youth lighted a cigarette, and within a few minutes the ship, on which de Pinedo had lavished such care, was a mass of flames.

Everything was in readiness for the departure of the commander on the Apache Lodge-San Diego leg of his journey when the Santa Maria burst into flames. The aviator was bidding goodbye to friends on the shore as the match struck the oil-coated water, a flash and it had communicated the flames to the plane. As the ship burst into flames from stem to stern, Captain del Prets, and ship's mechanic, M. Facchetti, jumped overboard.

The oil had been spilled on the water in refuelling the ship and the fire became so intense there was no opportunity to reach the Santa Maria's cabin to get fire extinguishers.

Britain's Chinese Policy

Not Prepared to be Hustled Out of China, Says Chamberlain

London. Great Britain has no intention of being driven out of China, Sir Austen Chamberlain, foreign minister, made it clear during a debate in the House of Commons on the Chinese situation, in reiterating the government's policy.

He declared that Great Britain would pursue a policy of conciliation and adjustment of its old position in China to meet the new aspirations of the Chinese people and the conditions of the country as events progressed.

Then, after a pause, he said slowly and solemnly: "Great Britain is not prepared to be hustled out of China." His statement drew cheers from the Conservative benches, after which he continued: "Nor are we prepared to withdraw our nationals from Shanghai and other upcountry places or be treated as though they had no right to that which is theirs by treaty and as though the lives of Britishers were of no account to the British government."

British Emigration to Canada

Says Percentage Coming to Dominion Is Lamentably Small

London. — "I frankly say that up to date we have been grievously disappointed with British emigration to Canada," declared Col. J. F. Dennis, of Montreal, head of the department of the Canadian Pacific Railway, speaking at a luncheon here.

"There is a Dominion and provincial organization in Canada capable of handling 50,000,000, yet we have only 2,000,000. We have to look to Great Britain and Continental Europe for our increase yet the percentage we are obtaining from Britain is lamentably small."

Hon. Herbert Greenfield, former premier of Alberta, speaking at the same luncheon, declared that the interest taken by some of the most outstanding men in Great Britain in Canadian enterprises was remarkable. There was a great reservoir of population in Britain which would make admirable settlers in Canada.

Want Canadian Coal Used

Ottawa. — "The Government is bending every effort to supplant American anthracite in the markets of Central Canada," Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of Mines, stated in the House of Commons in supporting the second reading of a bill to encourage the production of domestic fuel and coal.

Police Officers Executed

Warsaw. — Two Polish army officers, named Pletak and Urbanak, were arrested in Thorn, charged with delivering plans for the defence of Pomerania province to German agents. They were court-martialed, convicted and executed.

WOULD DEVELOP WIDER MARKETS FOR PRODUCTS

Winnipeg. Reorganization of the board of railway commissioners, to provide for seven members, three of whom would be from Western Canada, appointment of a trade commissioner to the United States to develop markets for Canadian products, and that taxation reductions should be in the form of reducing and removal of protective duties on imports, with the income tax maintained, were among the subjects urged upon the federal government in resolutions adopted at the annual meeting of the Canadian Council of Agriculture here.

Other resolutions adopted protested against any duty being placed on binder twine coming into Canada, and urged that the council co-operate with the land settlement board and the Canadian Red Cross in securing the continuance of the British grant for medical attention to immigrants coming to Canada under the assisted passage scheme.

The decision of the Saskatchewan section of the United Farmers of Canada not to affiliate with the council was discussed. The Saskatchewan organization, at a recent convention in Moose Jaw, decided that it "would join the council only after it is fundamentally reorganized."

It was decided that the reorganization demanded of the Canadian Council of Agriculture would not be practicable nor in the best interests of the farmers of Canada generally. The council will continue to carry on its work even though the Saskatchewan seats at the council table are vacant.

A. J. M. Poole, of Kelwood, Man., was elected president of the council, and all other officers were unanimously elected with H. G. H. Schofield, vice-president of the United Farmers of Alberta, as vice-president. Mrs. S. E. Gee was elected president of the women's section, with Mrs. Miles Oper, president of the United Farm Women of Ontario, as vice-president.

Amity Agreement Signed

Italy and Hungary Pledge Eternal Friendships and Aid

Rome and Hungary, through their prime ministers, drank toasts, pledging eternal friendship and aid.

Both Premier Mussolini and Count Bethlen, the Hungarian premier were visible in their praise of each other, and expressed good wishes for the welfare of their countries and their sovereigns. The occasion was a dinner which Mussolini tendered at the capital in honor of the visiting Hungarian statesman, and followed the signing yesterday of a treaty of friendship, conciliation and arbitration between Italy and Hungary.

Ontario Speed Limit

Toronto. When royal assent was given to bills affecting the Highway Traffic Act and the Public Vehicles Act in the Ontario legislature the speed limit of 25 miles an hour on highways outside of cities, towns, and villages, in the province became operative.



Fine British Types for Canada

Happy group of sturdy British settlers en route to British Columbia points over the lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway. From left to right: Mr. and Mrs. William T. Cottingham and five children from Wales, and bound for Courtenay, Vancouver Island; Mr. and Mrs. David Jones and six children, of Wales, on their way to Teluk; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith and three children, who will establish their home at Mission; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trefall, and two children for Agassiz, and Mr. and Mrs. William Murdoch, and five children, for Malakwa.

Protest Salary Revision

Civil Service Organization Considers Recent Adjustment Inadequate

Vancouver. In a protest against civil service salary revision, as announced in Ottawa recently, forwarded to the federal authorities by Fred Knowles of Vancouver, and C. Gardner, of Regina, president and secretary, respectively, of the Associated Civil Servants of Canada, they state they find that what is "at best an equalization of pay is called a \$180 increase for the purpose of depriving civil servants affected of the full benefit of the new increase."

Complaint is also made that the salary readjustment has been made only after "three years' delay and that revision dates only from April 1, 1927. "We consider that, after four years' agitation on the salary question, to be offered in most cases from \$42 to \$69 is a direct insult to the patient and long-suffering service," the protest concludes.

Asks Assistance For Imperial Service Men

B. C. Legion Branch Sends Request to Federal Government

Victoria. The Cowichan branch of the Canadian Legion at a meeting at Duncan, passed a resolution "that the Canadian Government be requested to defray the entire cost of transporting, maintenance and treatment of all Imperial service men invalided to Canada due to service in China." The resolution referred to Canada's large trade interests in China and to the fact that many Canadian in China are being protected by Imperial troops. A copy of the resolution will be sent to Premier Mackenzie King.

Boycott Of U.S. Goods

Agitation Starts in Capital of Southern Chinese Province

Shanghai. — Anti-American agitation, taking the form of a strike and a boycott of United States goods, has broken out at Changsha, capital of the province of Hunan, in southern China. A wireless despatch from that place said the strike and boycott had gone into effect and reported that the United States consul had gone aboard the United States gunboat Palos on the Yang river, preparatory to leaving Changsha.

The whole province of Hunan will be evacuated by foreigners shortly because of labor anti-foreign manifestations.

South African Field Yields Large Diamond

Weights 81 Carats and Valued at \$35,000 Is Report

London. An exceedingly rich diamond find has been discovered at Alexander Bay, south of the mouth of the Orange River, says a Cape Town despatch to The Daily Mail. The despatch says that powerful financial interests have acquired control of the diggings which accordingly will not be proclaimed public. The largest stone thus far reported on the new diggings was valued at £7,000 weighing 81 carats.

There are 1,429 women magistrates for England and 2,377 for Scotland.

COMMONS VOTES SUBSTANTIAL SUM FOR IMMIGRATION

Ottawa. The immigration problems of the Dominion occupied the attention of the Commons. A vote of \$265,000 for the department of immigration and colonization was before the House in committee of supply and the discussion, which lasted several hours before the vote was finally passed, took in practically all phases of the department's activities. Its recent disagreement with the Salvation Army came in for debate with some of the members, particularly from the west, supporting the department's position on the ground that since it was in the immigration business it should not hand over its work to outside organizations. Others expressed regret that the Government had decided to stop its grants to the Salvation Army emphasizing that it had been an important factor in the colonization of the past.

Hon. Robert Forke, Minister of Immigration, was optimistic of the outlook for the coming summer and the years immediately to follow. Confident in the future of Canada, the minister did not fear bringing out large numbers from the Old Country would increase unemployment. He promised to give consideration to bringing immigrants to the Maritimes as well as the West and urged co-operation of all parts of Canada to the work of lending a hand to the immigrants and otherwise assisting the department in this important work.

Considerable criticism developed regarding the various regulations respecting immigration, several members taking the view that they were too severe in many cases.

Following the passing of the item of \$265,000 for civil administration other appropriations, totalling \$2,580,000, were quickly approved. This total included a sum of \$750,000 towards the empire settlement scheme.

Opposed to Serum For Cancer Treatment

Only Reliable Cure is Surgery Says New York Doctor

Toronto. The weight of medical expert opinion is against the use of serums in the treatment of cancer, Dr. William S. Bainbridge, of New York, told the Toronto Academy of Medicine. He said that those who had deeply studied the subject were still open to conviction on the use of serums and claimed that with the rather inadequate knowledge of cancer possessed by the medical profession at the present time, the only reliable treatment lay in surgery.

Cancer was a local disease in the beginning and if removed in its incipient stages by the surgeon's knife there was every hope that it would not recur.

He did not believe that the rate of increase in the disease was as rapid or alarming as has been made out.

Imports Apples From U.S.

Canada is Second Best Customer in This Respect

Washington. In addition to being this country's best customer for oranges, lemons, peaches, grapes and berries, Canada is second only to the United Kingdom in the list of importers of United States apples. An official publication here says that more than \$30,000,000 worth of apples were exported from the United States in 1926, an increase of \$11,000,000 over 1925. The total exports of fresh fruits in that year were \$52,900,000, and Canada was the principal customer.

Loan For B.C. Harbor

Ottawa. Third reading was given in the House of Commons to a bill respecting a loan of \$500,000 to the harbor commissioners of Vancouver on the same terms under which loans had been made by the Government to the harbor commissioners of Montreal and Vancouver.

The world's greatest disasters by fire were: London, 1666; Moscow, 1812; Chicago and Paris, both 1871; Boston, 1872; Baltimore, 1904; San Francisco, 1906; and London, 1917.

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Clean Up !!

Did you ever take a jaunt thru' the alleys of this beautiful little village. You can tell more about the inhabitants of a town by a trip through the back alleys than many persons imagine. Some of the back yards are neat as pins, while others would put an old brush fence hog to shame. We are glad to say that the latter are few and far between. Back yards reflect the character of the owners. Sometimes the front yard will be bubbling over with flower beds and the back yard will be chiefly sloop barrels, scrap iron and trash of all descriptions. You can guess what kind of people live there. Sometimes both front and back yards correspond and are all wrecks alike. You can easily place the owners. Sometimes both front and back yards show the utmost care and attention and it is hard to tell which is the cleaner. You have no trouble in classifying the people who live here. If either the front or the back yard must be neglected, friends, let it be the front one. Don't try to present a Queen Ann front and a Mary Ann back. An ill kept yard is dangerous and a menace to good health.

APPLE SAUCE

Why did Smithy's wedding not come off?
The preacher asked the bride if she'd obey her husband.
What happened then?
She replied, "Do you think I'm crazy?" and Smithy, who was in a sort of daze, replied, "I do," and the fat was in the fire. No wedding.

A Scotchman has offered \$25,000 to the first person to swim the Atlantic Ocean.

Some day people will realize that the human knee is a joint and not an entertainment.

Gladys: You remember you told me that if I'd put a piece of that wedding cake under my pillow I would dream about my future husband?

Clarice: Well, did you?
Gladys: That's what worries me; I dreamt about the kitties regiment.

Little Gee Gee says these sheik dancers are like Fords. You can always tell them by their clutch.

Teacher: What does unaware mean?

Susie: It's the last thing you take off at night.

Mah bredren, shouted parson Potluck, yo' want to be ready to jump when yo' heahs Gabriel blow dat horn.

Fo goodness sake! murmured Brother Simpson, am he a-coming in er autymobeel?

Dear Editor: Is there any question you cannot answer?

Answer: Yes. How to tell when Limburger cheese is spoiled.

"Now children," said the teacher before the children's concert.

Whatever any of you do don't break down. If you can't remember your words just keep to the tune and sing "Tummy tum tum," or something like that until the words comes back to you.

And little Mary half way thru' her song, bore the advice in mind, and sang: "She wore a wreath of roses round her—tummy, tum tum."

Well gang, as the Duke's sweetie said when he kissed her goodnite: That's all there is there isn't any more!

Honey from Ontario, in competition with exhibits from all parts of the world, was awarded first and second prizes at the British Dairy Show held recently in London, England, according to a cable received by the Ontario Honey Producers' Cooperative Ltd.

Vancouver.—A giant merger of timber interests in British Columbia, Washington and Oregon, involving \$400,000,000 of capital, is likely to eventuate from plans now under way, according to "The Daily Province." Several of the British Columbia mills—a quarter or a third of the whole—are said to be favorably inclined to the amalgamation.

Montreal.—Despite the lateness of the season new immigration to Canada continues at quite an active rate. Week-end arrivals of the Canadian Pacific Steamships "Montclair," "Montcalm" and "Minnedosa" discharged approximately 1,250 third class passengers to be added to Canada's population. Included in the new arrivals was the first contingent of British youth to come out to Alberta under the extension of the Hoadley scheme.

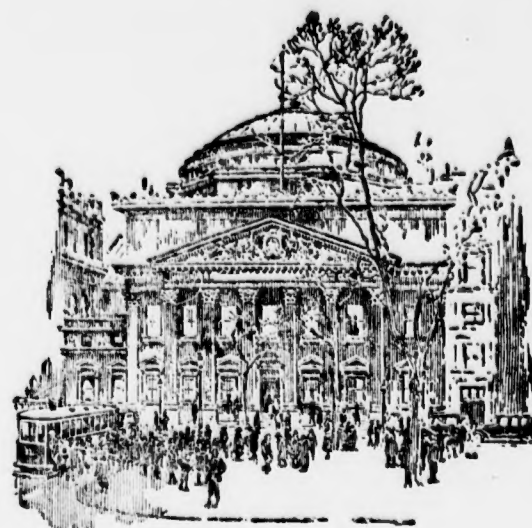
Manitoba's tourist traffic for the 1926 season left over \$7,000,000 in the province, according to the Winnipeg Tourist and Convention Bureau. From the United States a total of 105,710 visitors came into the province of which number 75,012 stayed for a day while 30,698 remained for a longer time. The average stay of the latter was 3 1/2 days. The increase of cars entering the province over those of the previous year was approximately 45 per cent.

When the internal trouble which has been devastating China for the last two years subsides, a tremendous market will open up for Canadian wheat in that country, according to J. E. Scott, representing a large British firm at Hong Kong, on his way back to London to report.

Bounties paid for bob-cats in New Brunswick, by the Department of Lands and Mines, have so far exceeded the figures for the corresponding period of last year, according to L. A. Gagnon, chief game warden, who states that wild cats are being killed in greater numbers each year.

United States settlers continue to cross the border in large numbers despite the lateness of the season. November figures issued by the Department of Immigration and Colonization show that the Government Agency at Fargo, N.D., forwarded 123 settlers and seven cars of effects, compared with 105 settlers and four cars in the same month last year. The Kansas City Agency sent 46 settlers, as compared with four last year and the Detroit Agency sent sixty, an increase of over 200 per cent. over November, 1925.

February will see the winter sports at the carnival at its height, at the Chateau Frontenac, Quebec. On the 4th and 5th the foremost speed racers in America will compete in the Canadian Indoor Speed Skating Championship for all distances and ages. Hockey, snow-shoeing, bobsled racing, ski-ing, will be going on every day of the month, but the outstanding event will be the Eastern International Dog Sled Derby, February 21-23, which will cover the 120 miles of the race at the rate of 40 miles a day. Teams from the United States and Canada will compete, and it is understood there will be a woman competitor in the race.



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CHAPTER XXXII—Continued

The same incongruous carelessness prevailed at the plundering of the women. Their fingers brushed lightly over gleaming throats; they begged a pardon for every jewel, of which they took only those that sparkled flagrantly. A pretty young woman—a very pretty young one with the small angular face and smooth eyelids of an early madonna, dropped to her knees hysterically when a rough hand reached to a sapphire pendant which hung deep on a bare chest from which, in her excitement, she had almost torn the already scant reach on her gown. "Please," she pleaded to the bandit, "do not take my necklet. It is of small value. I have hidden diamonds that I will give you. My necklet is a reminder of my husband."

The evil fellow gave her his fingers and helped her to her feet. Then he bowed with a comic opera sweep of his wide brimmed hat. "I would not disturb the gift that reminds such a charming lady of something she should not forget," the bandit said. Joanna, who was standing near, glanced quickly at the common vulgar fellow, whose breath was strong with garlic and whose hands were gross and awkward. Then she looked at the girl, and nodded a little.

The brigand who appeared to be the leader of the robbing company, the one whose voice was particularly gruff, stepped into the middle of the floor and announced:

"We are most glad to interfere with such plans as the messieurs and mesdames have made for their return to the more comfortable threshold of their homes below, but there are circumstances which may not be avoided. It becomes a necessity to invite the gentlemen to remain within the hospitality of this isolated barn which we have borrowed for the evening. The ladies will be returned to the club house, where they may be so happy as to find other partners for the merry dances of the waning night. You will be reunited with the morrow, doubtless. When the ladies are deposited at the club house we shall leave you, Messieurs the police will find us well disappointed by the time you gentlemen ease your wrists and find your way to the cities below."

The men against the wall stirred and swore, but firearms menaced them. Some of the women blanched at the prospect of their doings of the night becoming widely reported in bits for the spicy enjoyments of sen-

sation mongers along the Riviera. The pretty girl who had protected the son of her husband shrieked. An amused and ironical smile formed about the plebeian mouth of the bandit who had sensed her predicament—her sudden thought of the consequences of being detected by that same husband in her clandestine visit with another man than he to the club house that is out of conventional bounds. Despite all protests the women were herded out of the barn, escorted across the soggy open space, through the pines, and onto the road. There they were instructed to climb into a big gray car. Joanna thought she recognized it as the one they had passed on the road, but was not sure. A silent figure sat at the wheel; one who knew every trick of the road and picked his way surely through the mist to the final turn which revealed the dim lights of the club house just ahead. Here the car stopped and the women were ordered to descend and proceed alone to the club house. "The telephone wires have been cut," the man who had driven the car said to them when they were all in the road; "you may be prepared to wait until the mist lifts or your escorts find their way below and send for you."



"I have only arrived," Brandon said, his words suave but irritatingly ironic. "I'm happy to find you—alone!"

With the reappearance of the hold-up victims, dragged and suffering from their various reflections upon becoming, as they surely would be, heroes of a widely told about night on La Turbie, pandemonium broke out among the revelers who had elected to remain and who, by that time, had made serious inroads upon their host's store of champagne. The sense of the reception of those who had thought it necessary to brave the mist for a return to their places below, by those who heeded not convention, was that each one of the robbers' victims had, by the unexpected circumstance, become "one of us."

Joanna sat apart from the ribald scene that immediately shaped itself. She made no pretense of restoring her mask to her face—by now all masks were openly discarded. Even the mask that had restrained the club house itself had been dropped, and the revelry was unbridled.

Outside, after an hour, the big gray car which had disappeared after depositing the women slid up again to the parking yard and found a place to stand. This time Brandon, still muffled in his great coat, got out, leaving Antoine, as he had earlier in the evening. He threw his coat back into the car, arranged his domino, and, without his face mask, went directly into the house. He saw Joanna, alone at her isolated table and went directly up to her.

CHAPTER XXXIII

The Test

When the dominoed figure loomed at her table Joanna looked up, curiously. When she recognized the unmasked face she started. The relieved greeting she would have given anyone close to her, who might provide intimate companionship through the rest of such an exciting adventure, trembled for an instant at her tongue. But something in Brandon's face numbed her lips.

She rose to her feet, hand up, over her breast, with a faint recoil.

The fear that she had never shaken off, crashed down upon her in a tumult—the unformed, unutterable fear that came to her when he first touched her fingers at the table across from Eggleston in the bank when she had written her first check against her mysterious money.

"You here!" she breathed. "I didn't know—have you been?"

"I have only arrived," he said, his words suave but irritatingly ironic. "I am happy to find you—alone!"

Joanna knew, from his tone and his manner, that a climax purposed. A climax of some sort; something associated with the night, with her, with whatever Brandon had stood for in his relationship to her since that day in the bank.

Out on the dance floor, and at the tables near, she saw men and women looking at them curiously; at her, the Golden Girl whom everyone recognized and for whom many eyebrows had been raised when she came in with the bedraggled troop that had been ushered back to the club house by the brigands. Looking at her and Brandon whom they also knew. Her chin went up a little, and she braced herself inwardly.

"I am alone only by chance," she said, coolly. "I was here, with Kenilworth. He has been—"

"I know," he broke in. "Some mountain bandits have taken charge of him and returned you here—so that everyone may know that for your relaxations you choose a society and a surrounding that are, to say the least, daring."

"That, of course, is what pleases you to know. Why have you come? I feel that you are here—because of me."

"I am," he said, shortly. "I am here to tell you, at last, that the play is over. As you have put your mask aside for the rest of the night, so you interesting little masquerade must be dropped. You came up here, I imagine, to color an account. Instead you are about to discover what you're made of."

She sank back into her chair. Her face blanched. Her brain ached with the knowledge of an animal that in some mysterious fashion it has been caught in a trap. Before he spoke again she laughed, a short, unamused laugh, as if she were amused by the foolishness of her feeling, the utterly ridiculous about it.

The laugh died abruptly and she

watched the man who still stood looking down at her unsimiling, ungracious, unconsiderate.

"I have a great deal to say to you," Brandon declared. He paused a moment, and then continued:

"There is a room—a small supper room, just off the balcony. If you do not object, may we talk—in that room?"

She got to her feet silently, and, when he had bowed his acknowledgment of her assent, walked with him to the circular stairway that led to the mezzanine. At the door of the private banquet room he stood aside that she might enter ahead of him. A waiter met him at the door.

"We shall not be served," Brandon said to the man, "but as I shall leave the door open, perhaps you will stand near to discourage loitering on the balcony."

Joanna faced him when he stepped across the threshold.

(To Be Continued.)

Little Helps For This Week

Thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things, enter thou into the joy of thy Lord. Matthew XXV, 21.

O Ye that faint and die, arise and live! Sing, ye that all things have a charge to bless;

If he is faithful who has sworn to give, Then be ye also faithful to possess. —Anna Laetitia Waring

I will not count On aught but being faithful. —George Eliot.

The essential fidelity of the heart is the same, whether it be exercised in two miles or in a regal treasury; the genuine faithfulness of the life is equally beautiful, whether it be displayed in governing an empire or in writing an exercise. Observe the striking fact that our Lord does not say, "He that is faithful in that which is least will be faithful also in much" but "He that is faithful in that which is least is faithful also in much." —Frederic W. Farrar.

The Oil for the Farmer.—A bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the farm house will save many a journey for the doctor. It is not only good for the children when taken with colds and croup, and for the mature who suffer from pains and aches, but there are directions for its use on sick cattle. There should always be a bottle of it in the house.

Working on "Silent" Planes

France Perfecting Machines That Cannot be Heard

Silent aeroplanes, painted the color of night, which can neither be heard or seen after dark, will soon be a practical accomplishment of the French Aviation Service. It is reliably stated.

Several other nations have been working along the same lines, but have not yet succeeded. Recent French experiments with new wonderful silencers have demonstrated that the plane equipped with them could not be heard at a distance of 200 feet from the ground. Within a short time, absolutely silent planes will be a feature of the French Aviation Service, according to the same reports.

The laboratory has also been working for many months on the question of the color of planes and the experts have decided upon a new dark paint which has the effect of so successfully blending the plane into the night atmosphere as to make it invisible even within a few hundred feet of the landing field.

With the so-called "disappearing" paint and silent engines, the death-dealing qualities of the aeroplane will be increased enormously, in the opinion of aeronautical experts. They cite as an example a night attack by several hundred armored planes, including bombers, upon an enemy city or position.

The enemy anti-aircraft defences would be immediately placed at a great disadvantage, for about the only means of detection left would be searchlights.

During the World War the peculiar sound of approaching German planes, which to many people seemed to say the words "I will," acted as a sufficient warning to permit the French defending air forces to get into action.

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It has been shown that aeroplanes with no human beings on board can be propelled on to objects thirty five miles distant, and it is expected that this range will shortly be increased to one hundred miles.

"I can't imagine why Ferdie is so brainless," can you?"
"Why, no, unless the poor boy was brought up on a vacuum bottle."



Once a School Teacher— Later a Famous Physician

A young man who was brought up on a farm in Western Pennsylvania qualified for district school teacher. Further pursuing his studies and teaching, he managed to save enough money to put him thru medical college. He began the practice of medicine in the new oil section of Pennsylvania, and often rode horse-back through the woods to reach and relieve those who were seriously ill. He was a student of nature, knew and easily recognized most of the medicinal plants growing in the woods.

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LITTLE ITEMS OF
LOCAL INTEREST

Lumber is at hand for the erection of the new elevator at Grainger and it will not be long now before work is commenced on the structure.

W. A. Braisher made the trip to Grainger Monday, taking his son, who is returning to the Technical school in Calgary.

Miss Vera Poxon has accepted a position in the Farmers' Exchange

Most of the farmers of the district started work on their land on Monday of this week and seeding is becoming quite general throughout the district now.

D. F. McKinnon is getting everything in shape to move the old power plant building across the creek to its new site next to the old creamery, where he will remodel it into a garage.

F. Seymour brought his car in from Acme last Friday, where it has remained since the storm a week ago.

The roads in the district are drying up fast and it will not be long before they will be in first class shape.

The Frico Stores of Calgary have taken over the Brown store at Acme.

J. O'Rourke brought his car in from Beiscker last Sunday, another storm delayed car.

Wednesday half holidays commence on May 4, and will continue during the months of May, June, July and August.

Len Hay has purchased a new Chevrolet Touring Car from the S. J. Garrett Garage.

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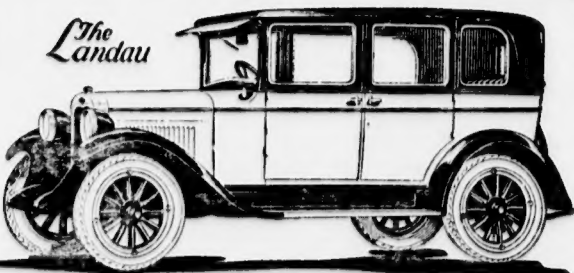
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